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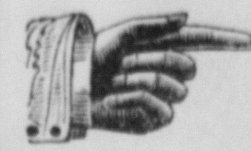
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Miss Winnifred Small has returned from Northfield and Minneapolis.

E. P. Brown of Portland, Oregon, is in the city visiting with E. K. Woodin.

M. Derocher left this afternoon for Little Falls where he went on business for Swift & Co.

Mrs. James Nelis arrived home this afternoon after a pleasant visit in Minneapolis.

C. A. Burton, has returned from Indianapolis, Ind., where he has been visiting for sometime.

John Liljendahl returned this afternoon from Norway where he has been visiting for sometime.

Rev. R. J. Mooney returned from Walker and Bemidji this morning where he had been on business.

The B. Y. P. U. Central association met in the Baptist church in Austin Friday morning.

Miss E. V. Hanson stopped off between trains to visit Dr. Batcheller, an old time friend. She was en route from Fargo to Minneapolis.

C. N. Parker expects to leave in a few days for St. Paul. Mr. Parker expects to spend a portion of the winter in the saintly city.

G. M. Walker, who has been visiting in the city with his parents for sometime returned to his home in Missoula, Mont., this afternoon.

Next Saturday the second team of the Little Falls high school will arrive in the city to play with the second team of the local high school.

Mr. Merrill Wickham and Miss Ethel Petrie were married Sunday, Nov. 3, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Sydney Hockeridge by the Rev. A. H. Carver.

Mrs. J. G. Ford returned to her home in Whitewater, Wis., this afternoon after a pleasant visit in the city with her sister, Mrs. G. P. Mitchell.

On account of a break in the moving picture machine the passion play was not given at the M. E. church last night as advertised, and there will be no performance tonight.

Ward Jewett, stenographer in the office of Agent McKay of the Northern Pacific, who has been laid up with the diphtheria for sometime is better and will be able to be out in a short time.

George R. Witherell had a runaway yesterday afternoon which nearly resulted in the entire demolition of his wood sawing outfit. The team was stopped, however, before any great amount of damage was done.

## AMUSEMENTS.

Picture a man, filled to the brim with animal spirits and an uncontrollable penchant for practical joking getting himself into all sorts of scrapes and escapades and then extricating himself with the ease of a Chesterfield, perhaps because of an incomparable fondness for prevarication; all this with laughs and nothing but laughs for a period of about two and a half hours and you have "What Happened to Jones." The humor of this play is broader and more evident than in any play put on in years. George H. Broadhurst excelled even himself when he wrote it and its longevity has been his greatest reward. Thomas W. Broadhurst is to take the play on tour this season and he will give it a far superior production to anything it has ever before known. An excellent company has been engaged to interpret the various roles. At Gardner Hall Thursday evening.

Old papers ten cents per hundred led up in bundles at the Dispatch office.

## Neighborhood Gossip.

The First M. E. church, Stillwater, was damaged by fire incurring a loss of \$200.

The city of Austin has accepted the offer of Andrew Carnegie, to give the city \$12,000 to build a new library.

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We want to add a good many names to our list this month and will be pleased to explain terms and rates to prospective students at any time.

We have classes in reading, penmanship, spelling, arithmetic, correspondence, shorthand, typewriting bookkeeping and business practice. We can form classes in other subjects if desired. We would like to get all young men and women who are spending their time uselessly, interested in some of our classes. To this end we ask the earnest co-operation of all parents.

Call and see us.

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# THE DAILY DISPATCH.

BY INGERSOLL & WIELAND.  
E. C. GRIFFITH, City Editor.  
Entered at the post-office at Brainerd, Minn., as second class matter.  
SUBSCRIPTION RATES.  
One Week.....Ten Cents  
One Month.....Forty Cents  
One Year.....Four Dollars  
TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 5, 1901.  
Weather.  
Snow. Warmer tonight and Wednesday.

## LOCAL NEWS NOTES.

Jay Nelson, of Minneapolis, arrived in the city this afternoon.  
Miss Winnifred Small has returned from Northfield and Minneapolis.  
E. P. Brown of Portland, Oregon, is in the city visiting with E. K. Woodin.  
M. Derocher left this afternoon for Little Falls where he went on business for Swift & Co.  
Mrs. James Nelis arrived home this afternoon after a pleasant visit in Minneapolis.  
C. A. Burton, has returned from Indianapolis, Ind., where he has been visiting for sometime.  
John Liljendahl returned this afternoon from Norway where he has been visiting for sometime.  
Rev. R. J. Mooney returned from Walker and Bemidji this morning where he had been on business.  
The B. Y. P. U. Central association met in the Baptist church in Austin Friday morning.  
Miss E. V. Hanson stopped off between trains to visit Dr. Batcheller, an old time friend. She was en route from Fargo to Minneapolis.  
C. N. Parker expects to leave in a few days for St. Paul. Mr. Parker expects to spend a portion of the winter in the saintly city.  
G. M. Walker, who has been visiting in the city with his parents for sometime returned to his home in Missoula, Mont., this afternoon.  
Next Saturday the second team of the Little Falls high school will arrive in the city to play with the second team of the local high school.  
Mr. Merrill Wickham and Miss Ethel Petrie were married Sunday, Nov. 3, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Sydney Hockeridge by the Rev. A. H. Carver.  
Mrs. J. G. Ford returned to her home in Whitewater, Wis., this afternoon after a pleasant visit in the city with her sister, Mrs. G. F. Mitchell.  
On account of a break in the moving picture machine the passion play was not given at the M. E. church last night as advertised, and there will be no performance tonight.  
Ward Jewett, stenographer in the office of Agent McKay of the Northern Pacific, who has been laid up with the diphtheria for sometime is better and will be able to be out in a short time.  
George R. Witherell had a runaway yesterday afternoon which nearly resulted in the entire demolition of his wood sawing outfit. The team was stopped, however, before any great amount of damage was done.

## AMUSEMENTS.

Picture a man, filled to the brim with aimal spirits and an uncontrollable penchant for practical joking getting himself into all sorts of scrapes and escapades and then extricating himself with the ease of a Chesterfield, perhaps because of an incomparable fondness for prevarication; all this with laughs and nothing but laughs for a period of about two and a half hours and you have "What Happened to Jones." The humor of this play is broader and more evident than in any play put on in years. George H. Broadhurst excelled even himself when he wrote it and its longevity has been his greatest reward. Thomas W. Broadhurst is to take the play on tour this season and he will give it a far superior production to anything it has ever before known. An excellent company has been engaged to interpret the various roles. At Gardner Hall Thursday evening.  
Old papers ten cents per hundred tied up in bundles at the DISPATCH office.

# Neighborhood Gossip.

The First M. E. church, Stillwater, was damaged by fire incurring a loss of \$200.  
The city of Austin has accepted the offer of Andrew Carnegie, to give the city \$12,000 to build a new library.  
J. G. Webster has resigned his position with the First National bank, of Crookston, and has gone with his family to Walhalla, N. D., where he will engage in the real estate business.  
The Duluth & Iron Range road will increase the capacity of its coal receiving docks about 20,000 tons, at Duluth. The road is now receiving far more coal, for mine and railway use, than ever before. Heretofore it has been necessary to store for part of the winter from 10,000 to 15,000 tons of coal in ore cars.  
The long talked-of electric road in the Preston country, seems to be a certainty. The company has been organized and will be immediately incorporated. H. R. Wells is president; R. E. Thompson, vice president, and S. A. Sangum, secretary; all of Preston. The directorate includes prominent business men of Rochester, Chatfield, Harmony and Decorah.  
The government has established during the year, rural free delivery at twenty-six points in the state as follows: Long Lake, Northfield, Robbinsdale, Balaton, Faribault, Wayzata, Jackson, Ostrander, Starbuck, Adams, Dundas, Dexter, Osseo, Sauk Rapids, Foley, Otisville, Fulda, Aulton, Dennison, Belgrade, Minneapolis, Lake Elmo, Anoka, Elk River, and Waseca.  
Miss Ingeborg Maline Kassenborg, aged 22, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Kassenborg, of Moorhead, died at 6:30 o'clock Friday evening of hemorrhage of the stomach, after a two week's illness. The funeral will take place on Monday, services at the house being at 1 o'clock and at the Buffalo River church at two o'clock. Deceased was a sister of Mrs. L. F. Moe and was respected by all who knew her.—Fargo Call.  
A complete system of steam heating has been installed in the public school buildings of Glencoe by the Moore Heating company, of Minneapolis. The boilers are located in the basement of the Henry Hill building, and the steam is carried from there by means of pipes laid underground to the seminary building. The system is on the most approved plans of modern architecture and was installed at a cost not far from \$5,000.  
Judge Searle, of the district court filed a decision denying a writ of mandamus to S. P. Roach of new Paynesville. Mr. Roach sought to have the county auditor of Stearns county spread the sums voted for road and bridge taxes at the annual town meetings upon the property included within the villages of Paynesville and New Paynesville, such villages being within the township of Paynesville and a part thereof. Judge Searle holds that the property within the villages cannot be made to pay township road and bridge taxes.

## EX-BRAINERDITE'S PROMINENCE.

Rev. Mr. Gallagher, Formerly Pastor of the First Congregational Church in this City, Delivers an Address.  
A new Masonic hall at Lockport, N. Y., was dedicated on Thursday evening last and the address of the evening was delivered by Rev. G. W. Gallagher, formerly pastor of the First Congregational church in this city.  
The following is an excerpt from the reverend gentleman's address:  
"I am unexpectedly called on this evening. The beauty of these chaste decorations, so ornate, so artistic, and so elegant suggests the refinements, the sublimity, and the excellence of Free Masonry. The Masonic order is an ancient one. Operative Masonry dates to remotest antiquity. The pyramids, the temple of Karnac, of Baalbec and King Solomon's temple at Jerusalem were all built by Operative Masons. The craft has always been honored. From the days of Phidias, who reared the Parthenon, through all ages of architecture the Master Mason has been an honored man. Free Masonry arose from the needs of men. Human nature has ever been the same. It always has sighed and wept and mourned. In despotic days, under the Pharaohs, the tyrants of Syracuse, and the most absolute monarchs, men have loved and assisted each other."

# BOLD THEFT OF VALUABLE PAPERS.

Several Hundred Dollars in Checks Stolen From Office of Agent W. D. McKay.  
JOHN PARSONS BIT ON ONE.  
Papers Were Taken off Agent's Desk Yesterday Afternoon Between 4 and 5.

One of the boldest thefts reported in this city for some time occurred yesterday afternoon in the office of Agent W. D. McKay, of the Northern Pacific, when some lightfingered individual made a big haul of time checks, vouchers and pay checks which aggregate several hundred dollars. The time-checks, of course, are worthless to any one, but the pay checks could be cashed by simply committing a forgery and this has been found to be the case in one instance already.  
A gentleman walked into Mr. McKay's office yesterday afternoon about the time mentioned above, but did not appear to have any particular business. The bundle of checks and vouchers was laying on the desk unconcealed but Mr. McKay did not notice any one take them.  
Shortly after the gentleman had been in the office he had occasion to refer to the papers and found that they had disappeared. He at once realized that a theft had been committed and started to investigate.  
Mr. McKay was not sure but that he had misplaced the papers until one of the checks was located this morning. A man walked into John Parson's saloon last night and got an N. P. pay check for \$60.64 cashed.  
A special detective of the Northern Pacific has been notified and the matter will be investigated at once and the guilty party brought to justice.

## Mail Boxes Arrive.

Postmaster Ingersoll has received the mail boxes and they will be put up tomorrow. They will be ready for use Thursday, most of the holes having been dug some time ago.

## MEN ARE RESTLESS.

Bolin & Wood are Having Trouble With Their Men in the Woods this Early in the Season.

F. C. Bolin, of this city, of the firm of Bolin & Wood, was in Duluth a few days ago on business. It will be remembered that this firm have the contract to log over 200,000,000 feet of the pine recently purchased by the Brooks Timber company from Cook & Turrish. Mr. Wood says that they have no trouble in getting enough men but has great difficulty in holding them to the work. Last Saturday they sent a crew of men out to the work near Scanlon, paying their railroad fare. It rained Saturday and Sunday and but little work was accomplished. The men waited around uneasily and then started out, quitting the camp. This restlessness so early in the season is a cause of much worry to the loggers and it is hoped that the tramping around from camp to camp that was so much in vogue a couple of seasons ago, will not be repeated this winter.

## CURBSTONE CHAT.

Prof. Torrens: All children who have Harper's geographies, Knox-Heath grammars or Barnes histories should bring them in at once or they will be valueless.  
L. H. Weil: Yes, I was one of the fawns who was initiated into the mysteries of Elkdom at St. Cloud last Friday night.

## WANTS.

FOUND—A store key in front of First National Bank. Owner can recover at this office.  
FOR SALE—A large Round Oak stove and 15 lengths of good stove pipe; also one setttee. Enquire of Mrs. A. E. Losey.  
WANTED—Young man wants board and room in private family. State accommodations and terms. Address X care THE DISPATCH.  
FOR RENT—Furnished rooms. Enquire 223, North 7th St. tf  
Store your household goods with D. M. Clark & Co.

# CAILLARD AT SMYRNA

REPORTED THAT THE FRENCH ADMIRAL HAS SEIZED THE CUSTOMHOUSE.  
APPEALS TO GREAT BRITAIN  
Turkey Asks That the Terms of the Convention Guaranteeing the Integrity of the Sultan's Asiatic Possessions Be Fulfilled and Suggests That a Squadron Be Sent to the Levant for That Purpose.  
London, Nov. 5.—The Paris correspondent of The Daily Mail says he understands that dispatches have been received at the French capital announcing that Admiral Caillard's division of the French Mediterranean squadron has arrived at Smyrna and seized the customhouse.  
Paris, Nov. 5.—"The porte has asked Great Britain," says the Constantinople correspondent of The Echo de Paris, "to fulfill the terms of the convention of 1878, whereby in exchange for the island of Cyprus Great Britain guarantees the integrity of the sultan's Asiatic possessions."  
"The porte claims under this convention that Great Britain should protect Asiatic Turkey against attack by France and suggests that Great Britain should send a squadron to the Levant for that purpose."

## NEW TAXES AND FRESH LOANS.

Britons May Have to Bear Greater Burdens.  
London, Nov. 5.—What is regarded as an important announcement preparing the people of Great Britain for new taxes and fresh loans was made by the chancellor of the exchequer, Sir Michael Hicks-Beach, in a speech at Bristol. After alluding to the enormous increase in the ordinary expenditures of the government he reviewed the war taxes and said that the increasing demand of the national exchequer gave reasons for careful thought and even anxiety for the future.  
"The cost of the war in South Africa is enormous," said Sir Michael. "It still drags. It may be, when the New Year comes, that I may have to ask the people of this country to bear even greater burdens and to make even greater sacrifices."  
Sir Michael Hicks-Beach announced that the government was communicating with the authorities in South Africa with a view to a change of the situation of the concentration camps and to an amelioration of their condition.  
John Morley, M. P., speaking at Forfar, Scotland, asserted that the ordinary annual expenditures of the British government had increased £28,000,000 during the last 10 years, or, including the suspension of the sinking fund, £32,000,000. He declared that there was a real danger ahead for the country.

## THIRTY WERE INJURED.

Train on the Monon Route Breaks in Two at Bedford, Ind.  
Bedford, Ind., Nov. 5.—A wreck occurred on the Monon track at the passenger station in this city in which 20 persons were injured. A combination passenger and stone train, running between Bedford and the Perry, Matthews & Buskirk Stone company's quarries, broke in two at the intersection of the Monon and Southern Indiana roads, coming together a few minutes later with a crash. In the two passenger coaches were 100 quarrymen and officials. Of this number no less than 30 were bruised and injured by the collision, some of them seriously. The section of the train composed of stone cars had the air applied, while the passenger coaches were without air and could not be checked. As the two sections collided all the men were thrown violently to the floor. The attending physician states that none of the injured will die.

## IOWA'S BOY MURDERER.

Another Movement Started for a Pardon for Elkins.  
Charles City, Ia., Nov. 5.—The Iowa legislature will be asked this winter to pardon Wesley Elkins, the murderer sent up for life from Clayton county 12 years ago. The application will be filed with the governor in a few days. Professor James E. Harlan of Cornell, who championed the boy's cause when it was before the general assembly four years ago, will have charge of the case again.  
Wesley Elkins is the youngest prisoner ever sent up for the crime of murder in Iowa. He was 12 years old when he was sentenced for killing his father and stepmother. He had been punished the day previous. After the crime he took the baby in his arms and went to the neighbors and told the remarkable story for one of his years that tramps had attacked his parents and that he took the baby and started to give the alarm.

## GRIEF WAS SINCERE.

Britons Mourned McKinley as One of Their Own Leaders.  
Washington, Nov. 5.—Hon Joseph H. Choate, the American ambassador to the court of St. James, arrived in Washington during the day.  
"I was in England when President McKinley was shot and during the days preceding his death," said Mr. Choate when speaking of the late president. "The English people were very deeply stirred over that event. They felt a sincere grief. Some Americans believe England only appeared to feel our president's death, but I know that throughout the length and breadth of England and the English colonies the people felt as if one of their own loved leaders had been taken away."

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## DRY GOODS CLOTHING AND SHOES

### SPECIAL Attractive Values for all THIS WEEK.

## CLOAK SALE.

THIS	THIS
Beautiful Ladies' Fine all Wool Kersey, silk lined, 27 inch garment on sale in all colors	Beautiful Ladies' fine all Wool Kersey, 42 inches long garment all silk lined on sale
ONLY \$8.50	ONLY \$12.00

100 Ladies' and Misses Fine Jackets at nearly HALF PRICE.  
50 Ladies' Fine Heavy Winter Capes at nearly HALF PRICE.  
Look at the Children's Long garments—also Jackets advertised at..... \$3.95 are worth double the price.

Blanket and Quilt Sale.	Underwear Sale.
25 pairs large 11-4 blankets to close per pair at..... 98c	One case Men's fine wool Camel hair underwear, value \$1.50 sale price..... 98c
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## WARM DISCUSSION ANENT CITY WATER.

Dr. Thabes Makes Report to  
Council and Pres. Tighe  
Responded.

## WATER RENTALS TALKED OF.

Alderman Fogelstrom Raises the  
Point that Saloons Should  
Pay \$1000 License.

The first regular meeting of the city council was held last night in council chambers. In the absence of President Crust, Alderman Doran was placed in the chair. The following aldermen were present: Halladay, Gardner, Erickson, Rowley, Fogelstrom and Wright.

The report of F. E. Low, clerk of the municipal court for the month of October showed 27 arrests made in city cases; 14 paid fines in city cases; 2 were committed without fine; 11 sentences suspended; amount of fines collected, \$95.15; 6 state cases commenced; 3 state cases settled. The report was received and filed.

Chief Bennett, of the fire department, reported that he had packed 17 hydrants; that the hydrants on the corners of Front and Fourth streets and Fifth and Laurel streets would not drain; and recommended that all hydrants where required should be banked. The report was filed.

Supt. Peterson, of the electric light plant, submitted a statement of lights used by the city for the year ending Jan. 1, 1902. The total amount footed up to \$975.50. The report was accepted and filed.

Dr. Thabes made a report on the matter of the filter system of the water works in the city, the substance of which was that they were entirely inadequate; that the drainage from the mills and part of the time at the shops flowed into the river, and also the drainage from the cemetery, and that the water was a menace to public health. Alderman Fogelstrom moved that the report be accepted and filed. Alderman Wright moved an amendment that the matter be referred to the Minnesota Water Works Co.

President Tighe, of the Water Works company was present and said he was ready to report on that matter; that this report was very important, and in fact alarming and he did not think there was a more important question before the council.

Mr. Tighe stated that if the water works was a menace to the city it ought to be shut down. He stated that he did not know Dr. Thabes but he had had some talk with Dr. Camp when he thought the diphtheria epidemic was becoming general. He stated that he made a most careful examination in his effort to find some relation between the water and diphtheria, but he had found absolutely no connection.

As regards the inadequacy of the filters Mr. Tighe stated that he took issue with Dr. Thabes over some questions raised. Filters, he said, are not to purify water but to cleanse it. His experience had taught him that no finer water could be found than from the Mississippi river, and even though the best filters were put in the water would be no purer; but would be cleansed so that material in suspension, or solution in some cases may be eradicated.

President Tighe was willing to leave the matter to an analysis by Dr. Bracken of the state board of health. He has been satisfied by reports from Dr. Bracken that water from the Mississippi was as pure as any that could be secured. The objection to the water, said he, is not its purity but its color.

Mr. Tighe also brought up the matter of water rentals over which there had been considerable discussion of late. He stated that it was not the desire of the company to raise the water rental in the city, but that the readjustment was for the benefit of the consumer as well as the company. He stated that so far it would be impossible for him to state positively what effect the readjustment would have on the revenue of the company.

He stated that the company intended to adopt a horizontal scale with a reduction of 10 per cent on all rentals paid the first month of the quarter.

President Tighe took up considerable time and seemed to desire to touch on everything. He wanted to be relieved from putting in a main on First avenue, in Northeast Brainerd.

He also took exception to the manner in which petitions for mains were being acted upon by the council. He raised the point of insincerity in these petitions, claiming that many people who sign petitions for water mains never intend to use water. He called attention to several incidents where there were the right number of signers but when the main was laid but two or three people took water.

The whole matter was left unsettled, Mr. Tighe agreeing to put down the main in Northeast Brainerd if he could get the material.

On motion the report of Dr. Thabes was ordered referred to the state board of health.

On motion of Alderman Fogelstrom, the bid of Murphy & Sherwood for putting in the hot air furnace in the city part of the new Park Opera House building, for \$145 was accepted and the city attorney was instructed to draw up a contract.

The request of several parties that an incandescent light be put on Kindred and Third avenue, East Brainerd, was granted. Alderman Fogelstrom reported that the health, sewerage and police committee were putting down a cement floor in the city jail.

Alderman Fogelstrom made a statement that may be of interest to the residents of the city. He stated that in view of the fact that the city of Brainerd had nearly 10,000 population, he was in favor of not granting a saloon license hereafter for less than \$1000. He was in favor of passing an ordinance to that effect.

Alderman Wright stated that the city charter was being revised and that matter could be taken up when the new charter is adopted.

Ordinance No. 176 an amendment to Ordinance No. 95 regulating show licenses was adopted as read. This ordinance provides that any theatre in the city will pay an annual license of \$25 instead of \$5 for each show as provided in the old ordinance.

Secretary LaBar, of the Park Opera house association was present and made some remarks in favor of the adoption of the ordinance. Mr. LaBar also informed the council that the city part of the new Park Opera House was ready and that the contract was in the hands of the city clerk to be executed.

The liquor license of J. A. Van Dyck was granted and the bond approved.

Chairman Wright, of the purchasing committee, to which was referred the matter of an armory for Company F, reported that there was no law which would compel the city to maintain the armory. He stated that he had his authority from no less a personage than Judge McClenahan.

This matter was discussed quite generally, some of the gentlemen objecting to do this unless they were compelled to do so. The lease of Gardner hall has expired and some arrangement has to be made. Mr. Gardner offered to rent the hall one night a week for \$10 a night, he to take care of and heat the building. Alderman Wright did not look upon the proposition with favor and seemed to object quite strongly. The matter was on motion left again to the purchasing committee to investigate.

On motion of Alderman Fogelstrom the matter of building a sleigh for the city fire department was left in the hands of the fire committee.

Council adjourned.

## "A HELPING HAND."

Is Gladly Extended by a Brainerd Citizen.

There are many enthusiastic citizens in Brainerd prepared to tell their experience for the public good. Testimony from such a source is the best of evidence and will prove a "helping hand" to scores of readers. Read the following statement:

Mrs. Moses Derocher, of 127 Seventh street south, says: "I was down in the small part of my back there was a pain very distressing, by spells becoming much worse and causing me discomfort, to say the least. My husband bought me a box of Doan's Kidney Pills at the nearest drug store and I started taking them. The medicines which I had used failed to help me, but I can truthfully bear witness that Doan's Kidney Pills relieved my backache entirely, and corrected a disorder of the kidneys which accompanied the backache."

Price 50 cents a box by the McFadden Drug Co., H. P. Dunn & Co., and all druggists. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y., sole agents for the U. S. Remember the name Doan's and take no substitute.

## APPLES! APPLES! APPLES!

Just received a car of Western apples. Fancy stock \$1.00 bushel box while they last.

M. J. REILLY.

## CHARGED WITH BEING DEFAULTER.

Moses Dyer of the Lion Clothing  
Company Claimed to Have  
Flown the Coop.

## GAMBLING GIVEN AS CAUSE

He Was of Late in Charge of a  
Store at Morris for  
the Company.

Moses Dyer, who during the summer months made his home in this city being employed with the Lion Clothing Co., on Fifth street, but who afterwards was placed in charge of a branch store owned by the firm at Morris, this state, is a much wanted man and according to statements made by members of the firm in the city today, Dyer has most unceremoniously disregarded a trust which was imposed in him.

If Dyer can be found he will be arrested on the charge of embezzlement and taken back to Morris to be tried. Early this fall he went to Morris to take charge of the store.

At the time he had overdrawn his account something like \$200 with the firm in this city, but they had implicit confidence in his integrity and honesty. The Lion Clothing Co. is a subsidiary of I. Goldman & Co., of Milwaukee, and both Mr. Goldman and Chas. Greenblatt, another member of the firm are in the city today conferring with M. Pearlby who has been in charge of the stores in this state and who is also a member of the firm.

The gentlemen have not completed the task of taking stock yet but as near as they can figure they think that Dyer's shortage will figure approximately \$1,000.

It seems that Dyer, after going to Morris, had complete supervision of the store, and it cannot be ascertained according to the officials of the company how far back the shortages date. V. M. Vinson, who was clerking in the Morris store is also in the city. He states that on Monday afternoon of last week Dyer told him that he was going to Milwaukee, and shortly after that left the city. He told the clerk that he had been tendered another position on the road with a firm in St. Paul and that he was going down to meet Mr. Goldman, a member of the firm. Previous to this Dyer had not been making any reports to the head office at Milwaukee, nor had he sent any remittances for fourteen days or more. Mr. Goldman grew suspicious over the matter and at once started an investigation, but before he reached the city Dyer had flown the coop.

The reason assigned for Dyer's downfall is said to be gambling. The gentlemen stated this morning that they have knowledge of his having been in games where he squandered \$200 of a night, "just to be a sport."

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This matter was discussed quite generally, some of the gentlemen objecting to do this unless they were compelled to do so. The lease of Gardner hall has expired and some arrangement has to be made. Mr. Gardner offered to rent the hall one night a week for \$10 a night, he to take care of and heat the building. Alderman Wright did not look upon the proposition with favor and seemed to object quite strongly. The matter was on motion left again to the purchasing committee to investigate.

On motion of Alderman Fogelstrom the matter of building a sleigh for the city fire department was left in the hands of the fire committee.

Council adjourned.

## "A HELPING HAND."

Is Gladly Extended by a Brainerd Citizen.

There are many enthusiastic citizens in Brainerd prepared to tell their experience for the public good. Testimony from such a source is the best of evidence and will prove a "helping hand" to scores of readers. Read the following statement:

Mrs. Moses Derocher, of 127 Seventh street south, says: "Low down in the small part of my back there was a pain very distressing, by spells becoming much worse and causing me discomfort, to say the least. My husband bought me a box of Doan's Kidney Pills at the nearest drug store and I started taking them. The medicines which I had used failed to help me, but I can truthfully bear witness that Doan's Kidney Pills relieved my backache entirely, and corrected a disorder of the kidneys which accompanied the backache."

Price 50 cents a box by the McFadden Drug Co., H. P. Dunn & Co., and all druggists. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y., sole agents for the U. S. Remember the name Doan's and take no substitute.

## APPLES! APPLES! APPLES!

Just received a car of Western apples. Fancy stock \$1.30 bushel box while they last.

M. J. REILLY.

## CHARGED WITH BEING DEFAULTER.

Moses Dyer of the Lion Clothing  
Company Claimed to Have  
Flown the Coop.

## GAMBLING GIVEN AS CAUSE

He Was of Late in Charge of a  
Store at Morris For  
the Company.

Moses Dyer, who during the summer months made his home in this city being employed with the Lion Clothing Co., on Fifth street, but who afterwards was placed in charge of a branch store owned by the firm at Morris, this state, is a much wanted man and according to statements made by members of the firm in the city today, Dyer has most unceremoniously disregarded a trust which was imposed in him.

If Dyer can be found he will be arrested on the charge of embezzlement and taken back to Morris to be tried. Early this fall he went to Morris to take charge of the store. At the time he had overdrawn his account something like \$200 with the firm in this city, but they had implicit confidence in his integrity and honesty. The Lion Clothing Co. is a subsidiary of I. Goldman & Co., of Milwaukee, and both Mr. Goldman and Chas. Greenblatt, another member of the firm are in the city today conferring with M. Pearlby who has been in charge of the stores in this state and who is also a member of the firm.

The gentlemen have not completed the task of taking stock yet but as near as they can figure they think that Dyer's shortage will figure approximately \$1,000.

It seems that Dyer, after going to Morris, had complete supervision of the store, and it cannot be ascertained according to the officials of the company how far back the shortages date. V. M. Vinson, who was clerking in the Morris store is also in the city. He states that on Monday afternoon of last week Dyer told him that he was going to Milwaukee, and shortly after that left the city. He told the clerk that he had been tendered another position on the road with a firm in St. Paul and that he was going down to meet Mr. Goldman, a member of the firm. Previous to this Dyer had not been making any reports to the head office at Milwaukee, nor had he sent any remittances for fourteen days or more. Mr. Goldman grew suspicious over the matter and at once started an investigation, but before he reached the city Dyer had flown the coop.

The reason assigned for Dyer's downfall is said to be gambling. The gentlemen stated this morning that they have knowledge of his having been in games where he squandered \$200 of a night, "just to be a sport." Dyer's home is in St. Louis, where he is very well connected. The news of his downfall was received in this city with a great deal of surprise, as he was very well thought of here.

## THE LOCAL MANAGEMENT.

E. C. Griffith Will Have Charge Locally of  
The New Park Opera House--George  
Kenny Stage Manager.

Manager C. P. Walker, of the circuit of northwestern theatres, after a day's visit in the city on business left this afternoon for St. Paul. Mr. Walker announces that E. C. Griffith will be the circuit's representative in this city and will have charge of the Brainerd Park Opera House.

Mr. George Kenny, one of the best stage managers in the west, will be put in charge of the stage. He is a resident of Winnipeg, but will move to this city about Nov. 1.

Mr. Walker will spend most of the time in the city until after the opening of the new house, December 2.

Mr. Griffith will not sever his connection as city editor of THE DISPATCH, but will look after the new house in connection with his other work.

## I WILL BUY FOR CASH

Anything that is desirable and cheap in either residence or business property well located in Brainerd. See me if you wish to sell, or if you want a loan on easy terms and low interest.

## I WILL SELL ON EASY TERMS

With a small payment down, some very easy and desirable homes. Can make the payments in many cases less than property would rent for. Will build to suit and sell on easy terms. No use to pay rent.  
P. B. NETTLETON,  
Palace Hotel.

## BOARD OF EDUCATION.

The First Regular Meeting was Held Last  
Night at the Washington  
School.

The board of education met last night in the Washington school building and all members were present. The secretary was notified to give the A. H. Andrews company information as to the condition of desks ordered from them.

The request of A. M. Opsahl that he be granted permission to take the pictures of the school buildings with their scholars was laid on the table.

Supt. Torrens submitted his report for the month of October. During the month seventy-two new students were admitted.

A resolution was adopted by the board in effect that no pupils entering the first grade for the first time be admitted only during the first two weeks of each half year.

Frank Murray was elected a member of the board from the Third ward to succeed H. A. Titze, resigned.

Resolutions of regret and sympathy were passed in relation to the death of the late P. M. Lagerquist.

## BENEFIT ENTERTAINMENT.

Woman's Relief Corps Will Give A Concert--Proceeds to Go to A  
McKinley Monument.

The local Woman's Relief Corps have made arrangements to give a grand concert on Friday evening of this week, the proceeds of which will go toward the erection of a monument in honor of the late President William McKinley.

The following excellent program has been prepared for the event:

Music..... Band  
Address..... Mayor Halsted  
Solo..... Will Georgeson  
Recitation..... Mrs. D. M. Clark  
Duet..... Mrs. Atherton and Mrs. LaBar  
Address..... Judge Searle  
Jollan Quartette  
Music..... Band  
Solo..... C. Wilson  
Whistling Solo..... Mrs. Crane  
Address..... Senator Clapp  
Solo..... Mr. Alderman  
Male Quartette  
Address..... Judge Fleming

## Inspect While In Camp.

Hereafter all companies of the national guard will be inspected while in camp. Adj. Gen. Libbey has decided to dispense with official inspection during the winter. This will put all companies in the state on equal footing. Now some are at a disadvantage, as they have smaller armories, and cannot go through maneuvers.

Another innovation next year will be tried in the engineering corps. Instead of going into camp with the artillery they will be assigned to various regiments. They will then have charge of all that would fall to an engineering corps in active service.

Bring your cash to our store and see what we can do for you.

L. M. Loop.

## ASTROLOGY!! PALMISTRY!!

Prof. and Madame Sherry, widely known in the East and in England as "The Prophet and Prophetess of the nineteenth century," are in the city. These well known people are an authority upon those ancient sciences which were taught and practiced by the sages of the East and the prophets of old (Prov. iii, 16; Sam. xxvi, 18; Rev. xiv, 9; Job xxxvii, 7, etc.) the knowledge of which, guided the wise men of the East to the birth place of Jesus, enabled Joseph to interpret Pharaoh's dream, and Daniel to read the hand writing on the wall at Belshazzar's feast.

Prof. and Madame are on their way to the Pacific coast and will remain in Brainerd for one week. Those who desire to consult them should not lose this opportunity; nothing is too difficult for them to answer. Your money prospects, mental qualities, employment, courtship and marriage, traveling, health, friends and enemies. In short your past, present and future will be revealed to you. Palace hotel, room 8.

# SOMETHING VERY IMPORTANT!

We Have Decided to

# Sell Out!

Our entire stock of Clothing, both Men's and Boys' as well as Children's. We mean SELL OUT not a Reduction Sale or Clearance Sale,

# But Sell Out Altogether.

We start to-day to do this. We include in this absolute quitting of the clothing business all of our Overcoats, Reefers, Men's and Boys' Full Suits, Single Pants and Children's Suits. Everything will be sold to you at exactly what they cost us.

You have read what we state, and we mean every word of this statement. If you want to take advantage of this chance, don't fail to call at once.

# HENRY I. COHEN,

610 Front St.

## BICYCLES and Bicycle Repairing.

AT

# Murphy & Sherlund's

LAUREL ST.

Sole agents for the Celebrated

# Gopher

## HEATING PLANTS.

Get your heating plants ready now during the warm weather. We do this class of work cheaply and promptly.

## ACTUALLY GROWS HAIR ON BALD HEADS HONORABLE CURE.

Prof. J. H. Austin, McVicker's Theater Bldg., Chicago.  
Dear Sir:—If any one doubts that you can grow hair have them call on me. Last March I was bald all over the top of my head and I was advised to try your remedies; after five months treatment I have a fine head of hair. I want to thank you for the good you have done me. I have more hair now than I ever had; all I did was to apply your remedies three times a week.  
H. J. McCLELLAN, 75 Lake Street, Chicago, Ill.

If you are absolutely bald or have dandruff, itching scalp or falling hair which is a sign you are becoming bald act at once. If you are absolutely bald write Prof. Austin and tell him so. He will help you if you are losing hair.

## CURES DANDRUFF STOPS FALLING HAIR

Take three fallen hairs from the morning combing and mail them to Prof. J. H. Austin, the celebrated scalp and skin specialist of years standing and national reputation, who will send you absolutely FREE a diagnosis of your scalp trouble after making a minute examination of your hairs under his specially constructed and powerful microscope. There is no charge whatever, and in addition he will send a special prescription for your case put upon a little box, also absolutely FREE. When you are cured of DANDRUFF, which is the forerunner of baldness, and grow NEW HAIR, Prof. Austin asks that you tell your friends about it. SEND NO MONEY. If you are not ready partly or totally bald write and send the cure. WRITE TODAY!

Send 2c for postage. PROF. J. H. AUSTIN, 99, McVicker's Theater Building, CHICAGO, ILL.

## MOTT'S PENNYROYAL PILLS

They overcome Weakness, irregularity and omissions, increase vigor and banish "pains of menstruation." They are "LIFE SAVERS" to girls at womanhood, aiding development of organs and body. No known remedy for women equals them. Cannot do harm—life becomes a pleasure. \$1.00 PER BOX BY MAIL. Sold by druggists. DR. MOTT'S CHEMICAL CO., Cleveland, Ohio.

For Sale by JOHNSON'S PHARMACY.



# The Big Store.

## Money Saving Opportunities Honest Goods at Lowest Prices.

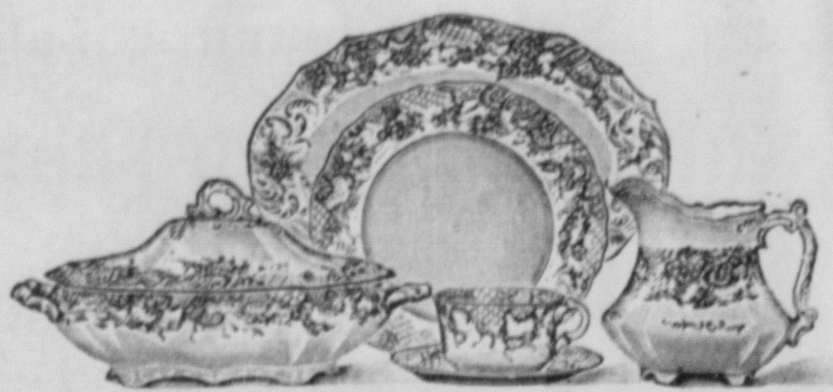
COLD weather is here, are you fully prepared for it? How are you fixed for warm flannels and underwear? We can show you the most complete assortment in the city. We carry everything in the Laidies', Men's and Children's line. Then there are Hose, Mittens and Gloves that you must have now. We can supply you with these, and at such low prices, that it will convince you, that this is at all times the best place to do your trading.

DON'T miss to look at our line of Furs, Cloaks, Caps and Jackets; all these at prices that means a big saving to you.

## YOUR HAT

Do you want one that becomes you? One that suits your face, your figure, your custom? No trouble to get the right one here and at the Right Price.

ADVICE: Don't fail to save your Premium Coupons which we give you with every purchase, for we want to present you with one of our beautiful 100 piece Dinner Set, absolutely free of charge this Xmas.



MRS. B. KAATZ & SON,

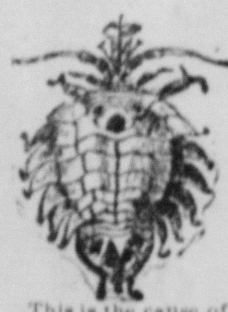
203-205 Kindred Street,

East Brainerd.

## BRainerd LUMBER COMPANY, BRainerd, MINN.

Mills and Yards at Rice Lake, East Brainerd.

We have constantly on hand a complete stock of Lumber, Lath, Shingles and Building Material. Short Lumber of all grades, and Low Grade of Dimension and boards at very low prices for Cash.



### Save Your Hair.

Does your hair come out when combing? Does your scalp ite and burn? Have you eczema, scalp rheum, red spots, itching or dandruff, if so, you have microbes working in your scalp and will become permanently bald and grey. To get cured you must remove the cause.

**Prof. Mahon's** Microbe treatment destroys the microbes and stops the cause.

**Hair from Coming Out**  
Now on sale at Johnsons, McFaddens and Duinas drug stores. Price \$1.

## Carpet Wove

On short notice, 100 per yard for Hit and Miss. 12 1/2 per yard for Striped.

A. J. MORSE.

House No. 607 Ninth St. East of High School. Sign on house.

## COUPON CLIPPING CONTEST.



In order to test the circulation and value of our newspapers as advertising mediums, we will offer the

## BUCK'S JUNIOR RANGE

full nickel plated, now on exhibition in our window, to any little girl under fourteen years who cuts out the greatest number of our advertisements containing "Buck's Trade Mark," appearing in this item and present them at our store, neatly done up in packages, with the correct number contained written plainly upon each package, together with the name and address. Any little girl can get all the help she wishes. All packages will be placed in a box, and will be fairly counted by a committee of disinterested persons. Commence now to save your coupons. Don't miss one.

A. L. HOFFMAN.

GEO. E. GARDNER,

## Wines, Liquors and CIGARS.

FAMILY TRADE A SPECIALTY.

Manager John Gund Brewing Co.

Tel. 64-3. Gardner block, Laurel st

D. M. Clark & Co. sell Sewing Machines on small payments.

## BEGIN THE ARGUMENTS

### SUMMING UP OF THE EVIDENCE BEFORE THE NAVAL COURT OF INQUIRY.

### OPENING SPEECH BY HANNA

Had Not Covered More Than Half the

Ground Involved Before Adjournment—Admiral Schley and Captain Sigsbee the Only Witnesses—New Evidence Offered Is Ruled Out by the Court.

Washington, Nov. 5.—The Schley court of inquiry reached the argument stage at the beginning of the afternoon session. The morning sitting was devoted to listening to Admiral Schley and Captain Sigsbee in making corrections of their testimony which had been given previously and the introduction by Judge Advocate Lemly of numerous documents bearing upon different phases of the inquiry. Admiral Schley did not make any material additions to his previous statements, but devoted himself largely to the clearing up of ambiguous points in his evidence. An effort was made to introduce two new witnesses, who were expected to give testimony in Admiral Schley's behalf concerning the controversy, as to what information Captain Sigsbee communicated to Admiral Schley when he arrived off Santiago in May, 1898. One of those witnesses was Frank B. Richards and the other George Lynch, both of New York and both newspaper correspondents who were on duty in Cuba and in Cuban waters during the war with Spain. Mr. Lynch was on the press boat Somers N. Smith and Mr. Richards on the Premier. They were to have testified concerning the meeting of those vessels with the St. Paul, of which Captain Sigsbee was in command. The court, however, decided not to hear them.

The opening speech of the argument in the case was made in behalf of the government by Mr. E. P. Hanna, assistant to the judge advocate. He began his presentation of the case a few minutes after the court convened at 2 o'clock and when the court adjourned he had not covered more than half of the ground involved in the controversy.

### Mr. Hanna's Argument.

Speaking of the run of the flying squadron from Key West to Cienfuegos, Mr. Hanna claimed that the trip was not made as expeditiously as possible, citing the fact that the Iowa made much better time. Regarding the meeting of Commodore Schley and Captain McCalla the speaker said it was the duty of the senior officer to question the junior in regard to any information he might have.

Mr. Hanna then read the order of Admiral Sampson to Commodore Schley, dated May 19, 1898, directing the latter to take steps to prevent the enemy from continuing work on the new fortifications at Cienfuegos. "It does not appear," continued Mr. Hanna, "that any steps were taken to prevent work on these new fortifications. In fact, this order was not, so far as the testimony shows, in any way regarded."

He then proceeded to follow the operations of the flying squadron and quoted a number of Admiral Schley's dispatches. He said that at the time of leaving Cienfuegos he was under order No. 8, telling him if he was "satisfied that the Spanish fleet was not at Cienfuegos to proceed with all dispatch, but cautiously, to Santiago."

Mr. Hanna also quoted the order directing Commodore Schley to leave Cienfuegos before daylight of May 23, and said that as this order had directed that if possible the squadron should leave before daylight of that day it should be construed as a message of urgency.

Mr. Hanna then took up the third specification of the precept, concerning the cruise from Cienfuegos to Santiago. He admitted that the Eagle had delayed the progress of the squadron, but said that this was not due to the weather, but to the water in her compartments. The testimony was, he said, uniform to the effect that the run was a slow one and that it did not proceed with dispatch as directed.

### The Retrograde Movement.

He then took up the retrograde movement. He said there had been no explanation of the fact that the squadron had stopped so far south of Santiago, nor of the circumstances that after passing the longitude of Santiago he had continued to the eastward, except that on the latter point Admiral Schley had said that at the time he was asleep.

He then quoted Captain Sigsbee's testimony to the effect that he had not told the commodore that the Spanish fleet was not in Santiago, and also gave Admiral Schley's version of the interview, claiming that Sigsbee did say that the Spaniards were not there. If Captain Sigsbee had said positively the fleet was not on the inside Commodore Schley should have refused to accept it, as utterly illogical.

Discussing the Nunez incident Mr. Hanna said: "If the pilot, Nunez, had been interrogated on board the Brooklyn as he was before this court the fact that he knew nothing of twin-screw vessels would have been developed, and, in view of the importance of the movement, there should have been a complete investigation."

At this point Mr. Hanna said that in making the retrograde movement Commodore Schley had not only taken away from Santiago the fighting ship of the flying squadron, but also the scout vessels located there by the government to watch the mouth of the harbor.

"During this time," he said, "the gates of the harbor were left entirely unguarded and it was not our fault that Cervera's fleet did not get away without being destroyed."

## LANTERNS AT A PREMIUM.

London Experiences a Fog That Throws Business Into Confusion.

London, Nov. 6.—A fog such as Great Britain had not experienced for years enveloped London and half of the United Kingdom during the day, blockading shipping, deranging railways and throwing business in London, Birmingham and other provincial cities into confusion.

So dense was it that a walk into the streets was an adventure. The fog descended upon the metropolis and the suburbs so thickly that between 4 and 5 o'clock in the afternoon the principal avenues of traffic resembled the steam room of a Turkish bath. Hundreds of thousands of London's suburban population vainly endeavored to grope their way to the railway stations. The few who succeeded found the trains all stalled.

Around Trafalgar square and the houses of parliament scenes unparalleled for years were witnessed. Hundreds of omnibuses, cabs, carts and wagons formed an immovable mass. The mounted police, in trying to clear away the jam, got themselves lost. Many vehicles were in collision. The drivers, not knowing where they were, stood at the heads of their horses, patiently awaiting the lifting of the premature darkness. Lanterns were at a premium, newsboys transformed their papers into temporary torches, highwaymen pursued their vocation, casualties were frequent and even hardened Londoners freely expressed a dread of the continuation of such fogs.

If the fog had not lifted somewhat toward night London would have been so congested that its housing resources, commodious as they are, would have been taxed beyond their limits by the forced accommodation of the fog-bound suburbanites. Among children and old people the deleterious effects of such a continuous and exceptional fog can scarcely be estimated.

## CREMATED THE NEGRO.

Story of a Mob's Vengeance Comes From Perry County, Miss.

Gulfport, Miss., Nov. 5.—A negro whose name has not yet been learned was burned at the stake in Perry county, Miss., Saturday night. The crime for which the negro suffered was committed early in the morning and Mrs. Fortenberry was the victim. She is the wife of one of the most prominent men in that section. She was attacked, beaten into unconsciousness and criminally assaulted by the negro. After recovering consciousness, while yet almost too weak to move, she began crying for help.

Within a short time assistance reached her. She told the story of the crime and described the negro. A posse was organized and search begun for the criminal.

A negro answering the description given by Mrs. Fortenberry was caught, taken and identified by her. The negro made a confession. An informal court was organized by the members of the posse. The trial resulted in a decision to burn the negro. He was carried from the house to the exact scene of his crime and there burned at the stake.

## BURNED THE TOWN.

Fire Caused by Burglars Blowing Up a Safe at Clifford, N. D.

Mayville, N. D., Nov. 5.—The business portion of Clifford, a town 12 miles southwest of this city, was almost entirely destroyed by a fire which broke out at 4 o'clock Sunday morning. The loss will be about \$40,000, the insurance being in the neighborhood of \$21,000.

The fire was probably started by burglars in their attempt to blow a safe in a butcher shop. They succeeded in forcing the door off, but were frightened away before getting the small amount that was in the safe. They left some of their tools. The flames, fanned by a stiff northwest wind, spread rapidly and the main business houses of the place were soon in flames.

## BLAST FURNACES CLOSE.

Shortage of Transportation Affects Independent Steel Mills.

Pittsburg, Nov. 5.—Eighteen blast furnaces in the Pittsburg district and the Mahoning and Shenango valleys have or are about to close down for want of coke. The car and motive power shortage on the railroads is responsible for this condition. Suspension of these blast furnaces will cut off pig iron production over 5,000 tons daily and will throw about 1,500 men idle. No relief is in sight and it is probable other furnaces will have to close with the result that independent steel mills will be materially affected.

## SUBMARINE TELEPHONE.

The Netherlands and England to Be Connected Very Soon.

Brussels, Nov. 5.—Belgium and The Netherlands are to have telephonic communication with London and other large cities of England. Very soon a new submarine telephonic cable will be laid connecting Brussels with London and that the circuit will be so disposed as to serve, besides London and Brussels, Antwerp, Liege, Birmingham, Manchester and Liverpool. The point of immersion on the Belgium side will be La Paume and the line will emerge again at Ramsgate, on the English coast.

## Were Probably Drowned.

Mason City, Ia., Nov. 5.—C. L. Montgomery and W. S. Bird, traveling men of this city, have probably lost their lives in Clear Lake. Last Saturday the two men went duck shooting on the lake, using a small boat. At 6 o'clock in the evening a squall came up and neither men nor boat has been seen since. Boats patrolled the lake all day in search of the missing men, but no trace of them could be found.

## Sioux Falls to Madison.

Sioux Falls, S. D., Nov. 5.—The city council has voted to grant a bonus of \$15,000 to Colonel W. H. Chase and New York capitalists for the construction of an electric line from this city to Madison, S. D. The proposed line will carry passengers and freight and is to be in operation as far as Colton, 25 miles away, by next November. It will be of standard gauge and capable of handling cars from all railroads.

## PRECIPITATED A STRIKE.

Agent From Tampa, Fla., Goes to Havana for Cigarmakers.

Tampa, Fla., Nov. 5.—A cablegram has been received here from Vicente Guerrero, who is in Havana as the agent of the Cigar Manufacturers' association. He was scheduled to have the steamship Florida sail during the afternoon for Tampa with cigarmakers. The Resistencia union leaders from Tampa and Key West were there and precipitated a general strike in all the Havana cigar factories and the men were soon in the streets using all the means in their power to prevent the embarkation of men for Tampa. So much trouble was created that Mr. Guerrero asked for protection, which was at once accorded him.

Under protection 50 cigarmakers were placed on board the vessel, which sailed from Havana late in the day.

## Powder Magazine Explodes.

Albuquerque, N. M., Nov. 5.—The powder magazine of the Santa Fe Pacific at Williams, containing 2,000 pounds of powder, exploded during the day, the shock breaking windows and glassware and tearing doors from houses. The magazine is supposed to have caught fire from sparks from an engine switching nearby. The engine and crew escaped injury, but the cars were wrecked. The damage will amount to many thousands of dollars.

## Killed the Cashier and Himself.

London, Nov. 5.—A man named Lanscombe entered the Kensington branch of the London and Southwestern bank and shot the cashier dead. He then called upon the clerks to deliver the contents of the till. A clerk grappled with the robber, who, finding that escape was impossible, shot himself. Another clerk was wounded in the struggle.

## Increase Telegraphers' Wages.

Hazleton, Pa., Nov. 5.—Announcement of an increase ranging from \$2.50 to \$10 per month in the wages of telegraph operators on the Hazleton and Mahanoy division of the Lehigh Valley railroad was made here during the day. The advance is graded in accordance with location, ability and the amount of work required from the men.

## Mr. Wu Has Received No Notice.

Washington, Nov. 5.—Minister Wu has as yet no notice from his government of its reported purpose to recall him to China. He was at the state department, but found the officials there without any confirmation off the reports.

## Santos-Dumont Gets the Prize.

Paris, Nov. 5.—The committee of the Aero club, by a vote of 12 to 9 has proclaimed M. Santos-Dumont, the Brazilian aeronaut, the winner of the prize of 100,000 francs offered by M. Deutsch for a dirigible balloon.

## TELEGRAPHIC BREVITIES.

Manitoba's grain crop will total 55,000,000 bushels, the greatest in her history.

Four men alleged to be the Wagner (Mon.) train robbers have been arrested at New Orleans.

It is announced that the Duke of Cornwall and York will shortly receive the title of Prince of Wales.

The president has named John W. Riddle of Minnesota to be secretary of the United States embassy at St. Petersburg.

It is expected the new canal treaty will be in shape for submission to the senate immediately after that body convenes next month.

No fresh cases of the bubonic plague were officially announced at Liverpool Monday, and United States Consul General Boyle considers the situation now favorable.

## LATEST MARKET REPORT.

### Duluth Wheat.

DULUTH, Nov. 4.  
WHEAT—Cash No. 1 hard 73 1/2c, No. 1 Northern 70 1/2c, No. 2 Northern 67 1/2c, No. 3 spring 65 1/2c. To Arrive—No. 1 hard 73 1/2c, No. 1 Northern 70 1/2c, Dec. 69 1/2c, May 72 1/2c.

### Minneapolis Wheat.

MINNEAPOLIS, Nov. 4.  
WHEAT—Cash 71 1/2c, Dec. 69 1/2c, May 71 1/2c. On Track—No. 1 hard 73c, No. 1 Northern 71c, No. 2 Northern 68 1/2c.

### Sioux City Live Stock.

SIOUX CITY, Ia., Nov. 4.  
CATTLE—Sales ranged at \$3.50-\$6.35 for beefs, \$1.25-\$3.75 for cows, bulls and mixed, \$2.25-\$4.15 for stockers and feeders, \$2.25-\$4.00 for calves and yearlings.  
HOGS—Sales ranged at \$5.65-\$5.80.

### St. Paul Union Stock Yards.

SOUTH ST. PAUL, Nov. 4.  
HOGS—Sales ranged at \$5.50-\$5.95.  
CATTLE—Sales ranged at \$3.50-\$6.00 for fancy butcher steers, \$4.25-\$4.75 for fancy butcher cows and heifers, \$4.50-\$5.00 for choice veals, \$3.25-\$4.00 for choice feeders.  
SHEEP—Sales ranged at \$3.75-\$4.25 for choice butcher lambs, \$1.00-\$2.50 for fat wethers.

### Chicago Union Stock Yards.

CHICAGO, Nov. 4.  
CATTLE—Sales ranged at \$6.00-\$6.80 for good to prime steers, \$3.80-\$5.90 for poor to medium, \$2.00-\$4.25 for stockers and feeders, \$1.25-\$5.00 for cows and heifers, \$3.00-\$4.10 for Texas fed steers.  
HOGS—Sales ranged at \$5.70-\$6.12 1/2 for mixed and butchers, \$5.85-\$6.15 for good to choice heavy, \$5.55-\$5.75 for rough heavy, \$5.60-\$5.90 for light, \$5.80-\$5.95 for bulk of sales.  
SHEEP—Sales ranged at \$3.50-\$4.00 for sheep, \$2.50-\$4.75 for lambs.

### Chicago Grain and Provisions.

CHICAGO, Nov. 4.  
WHEAT—Nov. 71 1/2c, Dec. 71 1/2c, May 71 1/2c.  
CORN—Nov. 57 1/2c, Dec. 58 1/2c, May 61 1/2c.  
OATS—Nov. 36 1/2c, Dec. 37 1/2c, May 39 1/2c.  
PORK—Nov. \$13.75, Jan. \$14.77 1/2c, May \$14.92 1/2c.  
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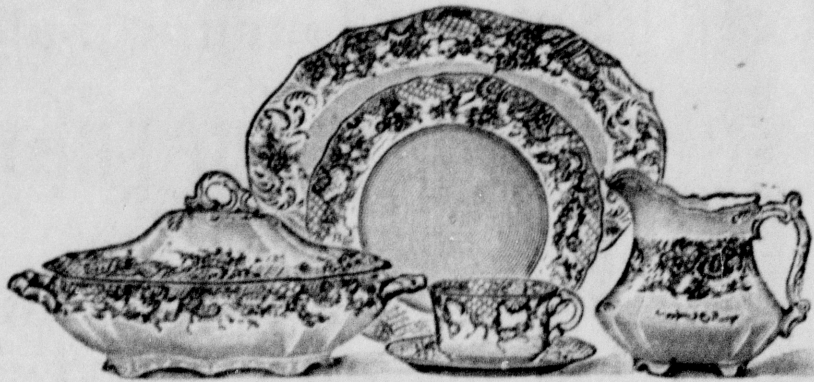
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Ground Involved Before Adjournment—Admiral Schley and Captain Sigsbee the Only Witnesses—New Evidence Offered Is Ruled Out by the Court.

Washington, Nov. 5.—The Schley court of inquiry reached the argument stage at the beginning of the afternoon session. The morning sitting was devoted to listening to Admiral Schley and Captain Sigsbee in making corrections of their testimony which had been given previously and the introduction by Judge Advocate Lemly of numerous documents bearing upon different phases of the inquiry. Admiral Schley did not make any material additions to his previous statements, but devoted himself largely to the clearing up of ambiguous points in his evidence. An effort was made to introduce two new witnesses, who were expected to give testimony in Admiral Schley's behalf concerning the controversy, as to what information Captain Sigsbee communicated to Admiral Schley when he arrived off Santiago in May, 1898. One of those witnesses was Frank B. Richards and the other George Lynch, both of New York and both newspaper correspondents who were in duty in Cuba and in Cuban waters during the war with Spain. Mr. Lynch was on the press boat Somers N. Smith and Mr. Richards on the Premier. They were to have testified concerning the meeting of those vessels with the St. Paul, of which Captain Sigsbee was in command. The court, however, decided not to hear them.

The opening speech of the argument in the case was made in behalf of the government by Mr. E. P. Hanna, assistant to the judge advocate. He began his presentation of the case a few minutes after the court convened at 2 o'clock and when the court adjourned he had not covered more than half of the ground involved in the controversy.

#### Mr. Hanna's Argument.

Speaking of the run of the flying squadron from Key West to Cienfuegos, Mr. Hanna claimed that the trip was not made as expeditiously as possible, citing the fact that the Iowa made much better time. Regarding the meeting of Commodore Schley and Captain McCalla the speaker said it was the duty of the senior officer to question the junior in regard to any information he might have.

Mr. Hanna then read the order of Admiral Sampson to Commodore Schley, dated May 19, 1898, directing the latter to take steps to prevent the enemy from continuing work on the new fortifications at Cienfuegos. "It does not appear," continued Mr. Hanna, "that any steps were taken to prevent work on these new fortifications. In fact, this order was not, so far as the testimony shows, in any way regarded."

He then proceeded to follow the operations of the flying squadron and quoted a number of Admiral Schley's dispatches. He said that at the time of leaving Cienfuegos he was under order No. 8, telling him if he was "satisfied that the Spanish fleet was not at Cienfuegos to proceed with all dispatch, but cautiously, to Santiago."

Mr. Hanna also quoted the order directing Commodore Schley to leave Cienfuegos before daylight of May 23, and said that as this order had directed that if possible the squadron should leave before daylight of that day it should be construed as a message of urgency.

Mr. Hanna then took up the third specification of the precept, concerning the cruise from Cienfuegos to Santiago. He admitted that the Eagle had delayed the progress of the squadron, but said that this was not due to the weather, but to the water in her compartments. The testimony was, he said, uniform to the effect that the run was a slow one and that it did not proceed with dispatch as directed.

#### The Retrograde Movement.

He then took up the retrograde movement. He said there had been no explanation of the fact that the squadron had stopped so far south of Santiago, nor of the circumstances that after passing the longitude of Santiago he had continued to the eastward, except that on the latter point Admiral Schley had said that at the time he was asleep.

He then quoted Captain Sigsbee's testimony to the effect that he had not told the commodore that the Spanish fleet was not in Santiago, and also gave Admiral Schley's version of the interview, claiming that Sigsbee did say that the Spaniards were not there. If Captain Sigsbee had said positively the fleet was not on the inside Commodore Schley should have refused to accept it, as utterly illogical.

Discussing the Nunez incident Mr. Hanna said: "If the pilot, Nunez, had been interrogated on board the Brooklyn as he was before this court the fact that he knew nothing of twin-screw vessels would have been developed, and, in view of the importance of the movement, there should have been a complete investigation."

At this point Mr. Hanna said that in making the retrograde movement Commodore Schley had not only taken away from Santiago the fighting ship of the flying squadron, but also the scout vessels located there by the government to watch the mouth of the harbor.

"During this time," he said, "the gates of the harbor were left entirely unguarded and it was not our fault that Cervera's fleet did not get away without being destroyed."

## LANTERNS AT A PREMIUM.

London Experiences a Fog That Throws Business into Confusion.

London, Nov. 5.—A fog such as Great Britain had not experienced for years enveloped London and half of the United Kingdom during the day, blocking shipping, deranging railways and throwing business in London, Birmingham and other provincial cities into confusion.

So dense was it that a walk into the streets was an adventure. The fog descended upon the metropolis and the suburbs so thickly that between 4 and 5 o'clock in the afternoon the principal avenues of traffic resembled the steam room of a Turkish bath. Hundreds of thousands of London's suburban population vainly endeavored to grope their way to the railway stations. The few who succeeded found the trains all stalled.

Around Trafalgar square and the houses of parliament scenes unparalleled for years were witnessed. Hundreds of omnibuses, cabs, carts and wagons formed an immovable mass. The mounted police, in trying to clear away the jam, got themselves lost. Many vehicles were in collision. The drivers, not knowing where they were, stood at the heads of their horses, patiently awaiting the lifting of the premature darkness. Lanterns were at a premium, newsboys transformed their papers into temporary torches, highwaymen pursued their vocation, casualties were frequent and even hardened Londoners freely expressed a dread of the continuation of such fogs.

If the fog had not lifted somewhat toward night London would have been so congested that its housing resources, commodious as they are, would have been taxed beyond their limits by the forced accommodation of the fog-bound suburbanites. Among children and old people the deleterious effects of such a continuous and exceptional fog can scarcely be estimated.

## CREMATED THE NEGRO.

Story of a Mob's Vengeance Comes From Perry County, Miss.

Gulfport, Miss., Nov. 5.—A negro whose name has not yet been learned was burned at the stake in Perry county, Miss., Saturday night. The crime for which the negro suffered was committed early in the morning and Mrs. Fortenberry was the victim. She is the wife of one of the most prominent men in that section. She was attacked, beaten into unconsciousness and criminally assaulted by the negro. After recovering consciousness, while yet almost too weak to move, she began crying for help.

Within a short time assistance reached her. She told the story of the crime and described the negro. A posse was organized and search begun for the criminal.

A negro answering the description given by Mrs. Fortenberry was caught, taken and identified by her. The negro made a confession. An informal court was organized by the members of the posse. The trial resulted in a decision to burn the negro. He was carried from the house to the exact scene of his crime and there burned at the stake.

## BURNED THE TOWN.

Fire Caused by Burglars Blowing Up a Safe at Clifford, N. D.

Mayville, N. D., Nov. 5.—The business portion of Clifford, a town 12 miles southwest of this city, was almost entirely destroyed by a fire which broke out at 4 o'clock Sunday morning. The loss will be about \$40,000, the insurance being in the neighborhood of \$21,000.

The fire was probably started by burglars in their attempt to blow a safe in a butcher shop. They succeeded in forcing the door off, but were frightened away before getting the small amount that was in the safe. They left some of their tools. The flames, fanned by a stiff northwest wind, spread rapidly and the main business houses of the place were soon in flames.

## BLAST FURNACES CLOSE.

Shortage of Transportation Affects Independent Steel Mills.

Pittsburg, Nov. 5.—Eighteen blast furnaces in the Pittsburg district and the Mahoning and Shenango valleys have or are about to close down for want of coke. The car and motive power shortage on the railroads is responsible for this condition. Suspension of these blast furnaces will cut off pig iron production over 5,000 tons daily and will throw about 1,500 men idle. No relief is in sight and it is probable other furnaces will have to close with the result that independent steel mills will be materially affected.

## SUBMARINE TELEPHONE.

The Netherlands and England to Be Connected Very Soon.

Brussels, Nov. 5.—Belgium and The Netherlands are to have telephonic communication with London and other large cities of England. Very soon a new submarine telephonic cable will be laid connecting Brussels with London and that the circuit will be so disposed as to serve, besides London and Brussels, Antwerp, Liege, Birmingham, Manchester and Liverpool. The point of immersion on the Belgium side will be La Paune and the line will emerge again at Ramsgate, on the English coast.

## Were Probably Drowned.

Mason City, Ia., Nov. 5.—C. L. Montgomery and W. S. Bird, traveling men of this city, have probably lost their lives in Clear Lake. Last Saturday the two men went duck shooting on the lake, using a small boat. At 6 o'clock in the evening a squall came up and neither man nor boat has been seen since. Boats patrolled the lake all day in search of the missing men, but no trace of them could be found.

## Sioux Falls to Madison.

Sioux Falls, S. D., Nov. 5.—The city council has voted to grant a bonus of \$15,000 to Colonel W. H. Chase and New York capitalists for the construction of an electric line from this city to Madison, S. D. The proposed line will carry passengers and freight and is to be in operation as far as Colton, 25 miles away, by next November. It will be of standard gauge and capable of handling cars from all railroads.

## PRECIPITATED A STRIKE.

Agent From Tampa, Fla., Goes to Havana for Cigarmakers.

Tampa, Fla., Nov. 5.—A cablegram has been received here from Vicente Guerrero, who is in Havana as the agent of the Cigar Manufacturers' association. He was scheduled to have the steamship Florida sail during the afternoon for Tampa with cigarmakers. The Resistencia union leaders from Tampa and Key West were there and precipitated a general strike in all the Havana cigar factories and the men were soon in the streets using all the means in their power to prevent the embarkation of men for Tampa. So much trouble was created that Mr. Guerrero asked for protection, which was at once accorded him.

Under protection 50 cigarmakers were placed on board the vessel, which sailed from Havana late in the day.

## Powder Magazine Explodes.

Albuquerque, N. M., Nov. 5.—The powder magazine of the Santa Fe Pacific at Williams, containing 2,000 pounds of powder, exploded during the day, the shock breaking windows and glassware and tearing doors from houses. The magazine is supposed to have caught fire from sparks from an engine switching nearby. The engine and crew escaped injury, but the cars were wrecked. The damage will amount to many thousands of dollars.

## Killed the Cashier and Himself.

London, Nov. 5.—A man named Lanscombe entered the Kensington branch of the London and Southwestern bank and shot the cashier dead. He then called upon the clerks to deliver the contents of the till. A clerk grappled with the robber, who, finding that escape was impossible, shot himself. Another clerk was wounded in the struggle.

## Increase Telegraphers' Wages.

Hazleton, Pa., Nov. 5.—Announcement of an increase ranging from \$2.50 to \$10 per month in the wages of telegraph operators on the Hazleton and Mahanoy division of the Lehigh Valley railroad was made here during the day. The advance is graded in accordance with location, ability and the amount of work required from the men.

## Mr. Wu Has Received No Notice.

Washington, Nov. 5.—Minister Wu has as yet no notice from his government of its reported purpose to recall him to China. He was at the state department, but found the officials there without any confirmation of the reports.

## Santos-Dumont Gets the Prize.

Paris, Nov. 5.—The committee of the Aero club, by a vote of 12 to 9 has proclaimed M. Santos-Dumont, the Brazilian aeronaut, the winner of the prize of 100,000 francs offered by M. Deutsch for a dirigible balloon.

## TELEGRAPHIC BREVITIES.

Manitoba's grain crop will total 55,000,000 bushels, the greatest in her history.

Four men alleged to be the Wagner (Mon.) train robbers have been arrested at New Orleans.

It is announced that the Duke of Cornwall and York will shortly receive the title of Prince of Wales.

The president has named John W. Riddle of Minnesota to be secretary of the United States embassy at St. Petersburg.

It is expected the new canal treaty will be in shape for submission to the senate immediately after that body convenes next month.

No fresh cases of the bubonic plague were officially announced at Liverpool Monday, and United States Consul General Boyle considers the situation now favorable.

## LATEST MARKET REPORT.

### Duluth Wheat.

DULUTH, Nov. 4.  
WHEAT—Cash No. 1 hard 73½¢, No. 1 Northern 70½¢, No. 2 Northern 67½¢, No. 3 spring 65½¢. To Arrive—No. 1 hard 73½¢, No. 1 Northern 70½¢, Dec. 69½¢, May 72½¢.

### Minneapolis Wheat.

MINNEAPOLIS, Nov. 4.  
WHEAT—Cash 71½¢, Dec. 69½¢, May 71½¢. On Track—No. 1 hard 73¢, No. 1 Northern 71¢, No. 2 Northern 68½¢.

### Sioux City Live Stock.

SIoux CITY, Ia., Nov. 4.  
CATTLE—Sales ranged at \$3.30-\$3.35 for beefs, \$1.25-\$1.75 for cows, bulls and mixed, \$2.25-\$4.15 for stockers and feeders, \$2.25-\$4.00 for calves and yearlings.  
HOGS—Sales ranged at \$5.65-\$5.80.

### St. Paul Union Stock Yards.

SOUTH ST. PAUL, Nov. 4.  
HOGS—Sales ranged at \$5.50-\$5.95.  
CATTLE—Sales ranged at \$5.60-\$6.00 for fancy butcher steers, \$4.25-\$4.75 for fancy butcher cows and heifers, \$4.50-\$5.00 for choice veals, \$3.25-\$4.00 for choice feeders.  
SHEEP—Sales ranged at \$3.75-\$4.25 for choice butcher lambs, \$3.00-\$3.50 for fat wethers.

### Chicago Union Stock Yards.

CHICAGO, Nov. 4.  
CATTLE—Sales ranged at \$5.00-\$5.80 for good to prime steers, \$3.80-\$5.00 for poor to medium, \$1.00-\$1.25 for stockers and feeders, \$1.25-\$5.00 for cows and heifers, \$3.00-\$4.10 for Texas fed steers.  
HOGS—Sales ranged at \$5.70-\$6.12½ for mixed and butchers, \$5.50-\$6.15 for good to choice heavy, \$5.50-\$6.75 for rough heavy, \$5.60-\$6.90 for light, \$5.80-\$5.95 for bulk of sales.  
SHEEP—Sales ranged at \$3.50-\$4.00 for sheep, \$2.50-\$4.75 for lambs.

### Chicago Grain and Provisions.

CHICAGO, Nov. 4.  
WHEAT—Nov. 71½¢, Dec. 71½¢, May 71½¢.  
CORN—Nov. 57½¢, Dec. 58½¢, May 61½¢.  
OATS—Nov. 36½¢, Dec. 37½¢, May 39½¢.  
PORK—Nov. \$14.75, Jan. \$14.75, Mar. \$14.80, May \$14.95.  
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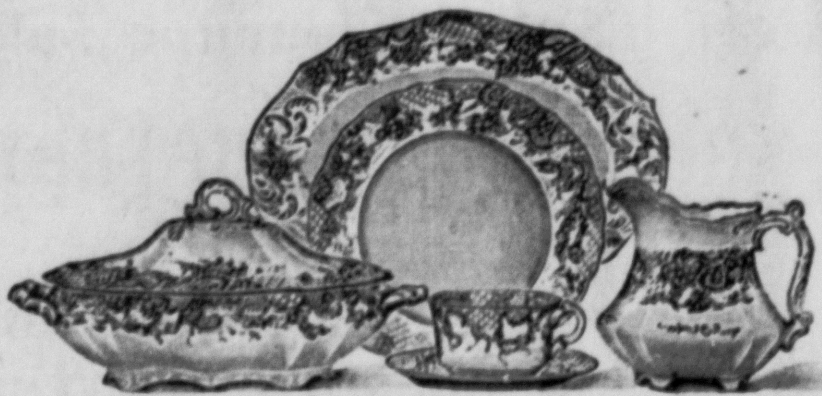
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Ground Involved Before Adjournment—Admiral Schley and Captain Sigsbee the Only Witnesses—New Evidence Offered Is Ruled Out by the Court.

Washington, Nov. 5.—The Schley court of inquiry reached the argument stage at the beginning of the afternoon session. The morning sitting was devoted to listening to Admiral Schley and Captain Sigsbee in making corrections of their testimony which had been given previously and the introduction by Judge Advocate Lemly of numerous documents bearing upon different phases of the inquiry. Admiral Schley did not make any material additions to his previous statements, but devoted himself largely to the clearing up of ambiguous points in his evidence. An effort was made to introduce two new witnesses, who were expected to give testimony in Admiral Schley's behalf concerning the controversy, as to what information Captain Sigsbee communicated to Admiral Schley when he arrived off Santiago in May, 1898. One of those witnesses was Frank B. Richards and the other George Lynch, both of New York and both newspaper correspondents who were in duty in Cuba and in Cuban waters during the war with Spain. Mr. Lynch was on the press boat Somers N. Smith and Mr. Richards on the Premier. They were to have testified concerning the meeting of those vessels with the St. Paul, of which Captain Sigsbee was in command. The court, however, decided not to hear them.

The opening speech of the argument in the case was made in behalf of the government by Mr. E. P. Hanna, assistant to the judge advocate. He began his presentation of the case a few minutes after the court convened at 2 o'clock and when the court adjourned he had not covered more than half of the ground involved in the controversy.

### Mr. Hanna's Argument.

Speaking of the run of the flying squadron from Key West to Cienfuegos, Mr. Hanna claimed that the trip was not made as expeditiously as possible, citing the fact that the Iowa made much better time. Regarding the meeting of Commodore Schley and Captain McCalla the speaker said it was the duty of the senior officer to question the junior in regard to any information he might have.

Mr. Hanna then read the order of Admiral Sampson to Commodore Schley, dated May 19, 1898, directing the latter to take steps to prevent the enemy from continuing work on the new fortifications at Cienfuegos. "It does not appear," continued Mr. Hanna, "that any steps were taken to prevent work on these new fortifications. In fact, this order was not, so far as the testimony shows, in any way regarded."

He then proceeded to follow the operations of the flying squadron and quoted a number of Admiral Schley's dispatches. He said that at the time of leaving Cienfuegos he was under order No. 8, telling him if he was "satisfied that the Spanish fleet was not at Cienfuegos to proceed with all dispatch, but cautiously, to Santiago."

Mr. Hanna also quoted the order directing Commodore Schley to leave Cienfuegos before daylight of May 23, and said that as this order had directed that if possible the squadron should leave before daylight of that day it should be construed as a message of urgency.

Mr. Hanna then took up the third specification of the precept, concerning the cruise from Cienfuegos to Santiago. He admitted that the Eagle had delayed the progress of the squadron, but said that this was not due to the weather, but to the water in her compartments. The testimony was, he said, uniform to the effect that the run was a slow one and that it did not proceed with dispatch as directed.

### The Retrograde Movement.

He then took up the retrograde movement. He said there had been no explanation of the fact that the squadron had stopped so far south of Santiago, nor of the circumstances that after passing the longitude of Santiago he had continued to the eastward, except that on the latter point Admiral Schley had said that at the time he was asleep.

He then quoted Captain Sigsbee's testimony to the effect that he had not told the commodore that the Spanish fleet was not in Santiago, and also gave Admiral Schley's version of the interview, claiming that Sigsbee did say that the Spaniards were not there. If Captain Sigsbee had said positively the fleet was not on the inside Commodore Schley should have refused to accept it, as utterly illogical.

Discussing the Nunez incident Mr. Hanna said: "If the pilot, Nunez, had been interrogated on board the Brooklyn as he was before this court the fact that he knew nothing of twin-screw vessels would have been developed, and, in view of the importance of the movement, there should have been a complete investigation."

At this point Mr. Hanna said that in making the retrograde movement Commodore Schley had not only taken away from Santiago the fighting ship of the flying squadron, but also the scout vessels located there by the government to watch the mouth of the harbor.

"During this time," he said, "the gates of the harbor were left entirely unguarded and it was not our fault that Cervera's fleet did not get away without being destroyed."

## LANTERNS AT A PREMIUM.

London Experiences a Fog That Throws Business Into Confusion.

London, Nov. 6.—A fog such as Great Britain had not experienced for years enveloped London and half of the United Kingdom during the day, blocking shipping, deranging railways and throwing business in London, Birmingham and other provincial cities into confusion.

So dense was it that a walk into the streets was an adventure. The fog descended upon the metropolis and the suburbs so thickly that between 4 and 5 o'clock in the afternoon the principal avenues of traffic resembled the steam room of a Turkish bath. Hundreds of thousands of London's suburban population vainly endeavored to grope their way to the railway stations. The few who succeeded found the trains all stalled.

Around Trafalgar square and the houses of parliament scenes unparalleled for years were witnessed. Hundreds of omnibuses, cabs, carts and wagons formed an immovable mass. The mounted police, in trying to clear away the jam, got themselves lost. Many vehicles were in collision. The drivers, not knowing where they were, stood at the heads of their horses, patiently awaiting the lifting of the premature darkness. Lanterns were at a premium, newsboys transformed their papers into temporary torches, highwaymen pursued their vocation, casualties were frequent and even hardened Londoners freely expressed a dread of the continuation of such fogs.

If the fog had not lifted somewhat toward night London would have been so congested that its housing resources, commodious as they are, would have been taxed beyond their limits by the forced accommodation of the fog-bound suburbanites. Among children and old people the deleterious effects of such a continuous and exceptional fog can scarcely be estimated.

## CREMATED THE NEGRO.

Story of a Mob's Vengeance Comes From Perry County, Miss.

Gulfport, Miss., Nov. 5.—A negro whose name has not yet been learned was burned at the stake in Perry county, Miss., Saturday night. The crime for which the negro suffered was committed early in the morning and Mrs. Fortenberry was the victim. She is the wife of one of the most prominent men in that section. She was attacked, beaten into unconsciousness and criminally assaulted by the negro. After recovering consciousness, while yet almost too weak to move, she began crying for help.

Within a short time assistance reached her. She told the story of the crime and described the negro. A posse was organized and search begun for the criminal.

A negro answering the description given by Mrs. Fortenberry was caught, taken and identified by her. The negro made a confession. An informal court was organized by the members of the posse. The trial resulted in a decision to burn the negro. He was carried from the house to the exact scene of his crime and there burned at the stake.

## BURNED THE TOWN.

Fire Caused by Burglars Blowing Up a Safe at Clifford, N. D.

Mayville, N. D., Nov. 5.—The business portion of Clifford, a town 12 miles southwest of this city, was almost entirely destroyed by a fire which broke out at 4 o'clock Sunday morning. The loss will be about \$40,000, the insurance being in the neighborhood of \$21,000.

The fire was probably started by burglars in their attempt to blow a safe in a butcher shop. They succeeded in forcing the door off, but were frightened away before getting the small amount that was in the safe. They left some of their tools. The flames, fanned by a stiff northwest wind, spread rapidly and the main business houses of the place were soon in flames.

## BLAST FURNACES CLOSE.

Shortage of Transportation Affects Independent Steel Mills.

Pittsburg, Nov. 5.—Eighteen blast furnaces in the Pittsburg district and the Mahoning and Shenango valleys have or are about to close down for want of coke. The car and motive power shortage on the railroads is responsible for this condition. Suspension of these blast furnaces will cut off pig iron production over 5,000 tons daily and will throw about 1,500 men idle. No relief is in sight and it is probable other furnaces will have to close with the result that independent steel mills will be materially affected.

## SUBMARINE TELEPHONE.

The Netherlands and England to Be Connected Very Soon.

Brussels, Nov. 5.—Belgium and The Netherlands are to have telephonic communication with London and other large cities of England. Very soon a new submarine telephonic cable will be laid connecting Brussels with London and that the circuit will be so disposed as to serve, besides London and Brussels, Antwerp, Liege, Birmingham, Manchester and Liverpool. The point of immersion on the Belgium side will be La Paune and the line will emerge again at Ramsgate, on the English coast.

## Were Probably Drowned.

Mason City, Ia., Nov. 5.—C. L. Montgomery and W. S. Bird, traveling men of this city, have probably lost their lives in Clear lake. Last Saturday the two men went duck shooting on the lake, using a small boat. At 6 o'clock in the evening a squall came up and neither men nor boat has been seen since. Boats patrolled the lake all day in search of the missing men, but no trace of them could be found.

## Sioux Falls to Madison.

Sioux Falls, S. D., Nov. 5.—The city council has voted to grant a bonus of \$15,000 to Colonel W. H. Chase and New York capitalists for the construction of an electric line from this city to Madison, S. D. The proposed line will carry passengers and freight and is to be in operation as far as Colton, 25 miles away, by next November. It will be of standard gauge and capable of handling cars from all railroads.

## PRECIPITATED A STRIKE.

Agent From Tampa, Fla., Goes to Havana for Cigarmakers.

Tampa, Fla., Nov. 5.—A cablegram has been received here from Vicente Guerrero, who is in Havana as the agent of the Cigar Manufacturers' association. He was scheduled to have the steamship Florida sail during the afternoon for Tampa with cigarmakers from Tampa and Key West were there and precipitated a general strike in all the Havana cigar factories and the men were soon in the streets using all the means in their power to prevent the embarkation of men for Tampa. So much trouble was created that Mr. Guerrero asked for protection, which was at once accorded him.

Under protection 50 cigarmakers were placed on board the vessel, which sailed from Havana late in the day.

## Powder Magazine Explodes.

Albuquerque, N. M., Nov. 5.—The powder magazine of the Santa Fe Pacific at Williams, containing 2,000 pounds of powder, exploded during the day, the shock breaking windows and glassware and tearing doors from houses. The magazine is supposed to have caught fire from sparks from an engine switching nearby. The engine and crew escaped injury, but the cars were wrecked. The damage will amount to many thousands of dollars.

## Killed the Cashier and Himself.

London, Nov. 5.—A man named Lanscombe entered the Kensington branch of the London and Southwestern bank and shot the cashier dead. He then called upon the clerks to deliver the contents of the till. A clerk grappled with the robber, who, finding that escape was impossible, shot himself. Another clerk was wounded in the struggle.

## Increase Telegraphers' Wages.

Hazleton, Pa., Nov. 5.—Announcement of an increase ranging from \$2.50 to \$10 per month in the wages of telegraph operators on the Hazleton and Mahanoy division of the Lehigh Valley railroad was made here during the day. The advance is graded in accordance with location, ability and the amount of work required from the men.

## Mr. Wu Has Received No Notice.

Washington, Nov. 5.—Minister Wu has as yet no notice from his government of its reported purpose to recall him to China. He was at the state department, but found the officials there without any confirmation of the reports.

## Santos-Dumont Gets the Prize.

Paris, Nov. 5.—The committee of the Aero club, by a vote of 12 to 9 has proclaimed M. Santos-Dumont, the Brazilian aeronaut, the winner of the prize of 100,000 francs offered by M. Deutsch for a dirigible balloon.

## TELEGRAPHIC BREVITIES.

Manitoba's grain crop will total 55,000,000 bushels, the greatest in her history.

Four men alleged to be the Wagner (Mon.) train robbers have been arrested at New Orleans.

It is announced that the Duke of Cornwall and York will shortly receive the title of Prince of Wales.

The president has named John W. Riddle of Minnesota to be secretary of the United States embassy at St. Petersburg.

It is expected the new canal treaty will be in shape for submission to the senate immediately after that body convenes next month.

No fresh cases of the bubonic plague were officially announced at Liverpool Monday, and United States Consul General Boyle considers the situation now favorable.

## LATEST MARKET REPORT.

### Duluth Wheat.

DULUTH, Nov. 4.  
WHEAT—Cash No. 1 hard 73½c, No. 1 Northern 70½c, No. 2 Northern 67½c, No. 3 spring 65½c. To Arrive—No. 1 hard 73½c, No. 1 Northern 70½c, Dec. 69½c, May 72½c.

### Minneapolis Wheat.

MINNEAPOLIS, Nov. 4.  
WHEAT—Cash 71½c, Dec. 69½c, May 71½c. On Track—No. 1 hard 73c, No. 1 Northern 71c, No. 2 Northern 68½c.

### Sioux City Live Stock.

SIOUX CITY, Ia., Nov. 4.  
CATTLE—Sales ranged at \$3.50@3.35 for beefs, \$1.25@1.75 for cows, bulls and mixed, \$2.25@4.00 for calves and yearlings. HOGS—Sales ranged at \$5.65@5.80.

### St. Paul Union Stock Yards.

SOUTH ST. PAUL, Nov. 4.  
HOGS—Sales ranged at \$5.50@5.95.  
CATTLE—Sales ranged at \$5.60@6.00 for fancy butcher steers, \$4.25@4.75 for fancy butcher cows and heifers, \$4.50@5.00 for choice veals, \$3.25@4.00 for choice feeders.  
SHEEP—Sales ranged at \$3.75@4.25 for choice butcher lambs, \$3.00@3.50 for fat wethers.

### Chicago Union Stock Yards.

CHICAGO, Nov. 4.  
CATTLE—Sales ranged at \$6.00@6.50 for good to prime steers, \$3.80@3.90 for poor to medium, \$1.00@1.25 for stockers and feeders, \$1.25@5.00 for cows and heifers, \$3.00@4.10 for Texas fed steers.  
HOGS—Sales ranged at \$5.70@6.12½ for mixed and butchers, \$5.85@6.15 for good to choice heavy, \$5.55@5.75 for rough heavy, \$5.60@5.90 for light, \$5.80@5.95 for bulk of sales.  
SHEEP—Sales ranged at \$3.50@4.00 for sheep, \$2.30@4.75 for lambs.

### Chicago Grain and Provisions.

CHICAGO, Nov. 4.  
WHEAT—Nov. 71½c, Dec. 71½c@71¾c, May 71½c.  
COR—Nov. 67½c, Dec. 58½c, May 61½c.  
OATS—Nov. 36½c, Dec. 37½c, May 39½c@39¾c.  
POK—Nov. \$13.75, Jan. \$14.77½@14.80, May \$14.93½@14.95.  
FLAX—Cash Northwest \$1.48, No. 1 \$1.48, Nov. \$1.48, Dec. \$1.43, May \$1.50.  
POULTRY—Dressed chickens 7½@9c, turkeys 7½@9c.  
BUTTER—Creamery 14½@14½c, dairy 13½@14c.  
EGGS—Fresh 30c.

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